



Stage 1 Fire Restrictions for unincorporated  
areas of Gunnison County  
Per County Resolution 2013-13  
Effective 06.24.13 Until Further Notice

## **FIRE RESTRICTIONS IN EFFECT IN GUNNISON COUNTY - \$500.00 FINE**

The following is **PROHIBITED** in unincorporated Gunnison County:

- Open charcoal or wood fires, the burning of trash or debris and agricultural burning. Trash may not be burned under any circumstances, even in barrels.
- Building or maintaining a campfire outside of developed and designated campgrounds or recreation sites
- Smoking cigarettes, cigars etc outside in an area that has not been cleared of flammable material for at least three feet in diameter
- The use of any type of fireworks or explosives

The following is **PERMITTED**:

- Cooking on manufactured charcoal, liquid fuel and propane grills
- Campfires with flame length not exceeding two feet in height in prefabricated concrete or metal fire enclosures in developed and designated campgrounds and recreation sites
- On private property, campfires with flame length not exceeding two feet in height in prefabricated concrete or metal fire enclosures

**As provided by Colorado Statutes and County Ordinances, persons responsible for starting a wildfire can face criminal and civil charges.**

For further information, please contact any of the following: Recorded message 970-642-4686; Gunnison Sheriff's Office 970-641-1113; United States Forest Service Gunnison Ranger District 970-641-0471; Crested Butte Fire Protection District 970-349-5333; Gunnison Fire Marshal 970-641-8153; Gunnison County Emergency Management 970-641-2481; or Curecanti National Recreation Area 970-641-2337. For statewide fire restriction information: <http://www.coemergency.com/p/fire-ban-info.html>

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